

REMARKS

By the present amendment, Claims 1 and 5 have been amended, and Claim 3 has been canceled. Claims 1-10 remain pending in the application, with Claims 1, 4-6 and 8 being independent claims. Claim 5 is objected to because of informalities. Claims 1 and 2 are again rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 102(e) as allegedly being anticipated by Miyashita (U.S. Patent No. 6,304,611 B1).

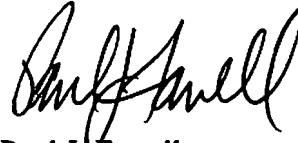
Applicants appreciate the indication by the Examiner that Claims 4 and 6-10 are allowed and Claim 3 is objected to as being dependent upon a rejected base claim, but would otherwise be allowable if rewritten in independent form including all of the limitations of the base claim and any intervening claims.

Claim 3 has been canceled and independent Claim 1 has been amended to incorporate the allowable recitations of Claim 3. Claim 5 has been amended to recite, in part, in accordance with the Examiner's suggestion, a computer readable medium tangibly embodying a program of instructions executable by a computer to perform method steps for a method of generating an edge sidelobe canceling signal in an orthogonal frequency division multiplexing access system.

Applicants respectfully submit that these amendments place the application in condition for allowance.

Accordingly, all of the claims pending in the Application, namely, Claims 1-10, are in condition for allowance. Should the Examiner believe that a telephone conference or personal interview would facilitate resolution of any remaining matters, the Examiner may contact Applicants' attorney at the number given below.

Respectfully submitted,

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